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SUBJECT: FRANCE TO ATTEND FRIENDS OF DEMOCRATIC PAKISTAN
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[1](#)1. (SBU) SUMMARY: France will attend the September 24 Friends of Democratic Pakistan conference in New York, but the GOF has not yet determined the composition of their delegation.
END SUMMARY.

[1](#)2. (SBU) Post delivered the information contained in reftel September 17 to Yann Braem, Deputy Chief of Staff for French Special Representative for Afghanistan/Pakistan Thierry Mariani, and MFA Pakistan Desk Officer Annie Evrard. Braem said Mariani and Jasmine Zerini, Mariani's chief of staff, would probably be attending, and it was possible that Foreign Minister Bernard Kouchner might also attend. However, the exact composition of the delegation has not yet been determined. He said he would provide post with the delegation list when it is confirmed.

[1](#)3. (U) Post will report directly to the POCs when the GOF has provided its delegation list.
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